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Applicant: D.N. Rudo Attorney Docket No.: RUDO117125
Application No.: 09/807,560 Group Art Unit: 1714
Filed: April 12, 2001 Examiner: Tae H. Yoon
Title: TRIAXIAL WEAVE FOR REINFORCING DENTAL RESINS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

February 12, 2003

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	-	26	= 0	x 9 = 0
Independent Claims	2	-	3	= 0	x 42 = 0
TOTAL					\$0

B. Request for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 23, 2002, set to expire on December 23, 2002, be extended by 2 months, to expire on February 23, 2003. The enclosed check includes the 2-month extension fee of \$205.00.

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C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 145708 in the amount of \$205.00 to cover the request for extension of time fee.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

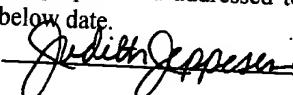
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